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PATENT

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Re: Patent Application of  
Eugene Roussel

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AMENDMENT AND  
REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

This Response corresponds to the Office Action dated December 10, 2001 (Paper No. 8) in the patent application referenced above. This Response is timely filed by virtue of the accompanying Petition for a one-month extension of time, which extends the period available for responding through and including April 10, 2002.

Please amend the application as follows.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 67 and 73, without prejudice to inclusion of claims directed to the subject matter thereof in one or more other patent applications.

Please amend claims 4, 9, 29, and 46-48 as follows. For the Examiner's convenience, the Applicant has enclosed a "Marked-Up Copy of Claims Amended...", in which text that is added to the claims is underlined, text that is deleted is ~~struck through~~, and lines on which changes were made are indicated by a vertical line in the margin. The Applicant has also included a "Clean Copy of Claims, as Amended...", in which all claims pending after entry of this Amendment are listed.